

CROKER WILL NOT BE HERE ON NEXT ELECTION DAY.

"Genial Johnny" Carroll Returns from a Visit to the Tammany Boss with His Orders.

Rank and File, Including the Little Mayor, Went Down the Bay to Meet the Deputy Boss.

"Genial Johnny" Carroll, deputy leader of Tammany Hall, who arrived from Wantage on the Deutschland this morning, admitted enough to an Evening World reporter to justify the belief that Richard Croker will not leave England for the fall campaign.

"Mr. Croker is satisfied with things as they are," said the "genial" M. Carroll, "and will not come over if he thinks it unnecessary."

Met by Police Boat.

The police boat patrol, manned by a crew paid by the city, met the Deutschland down the bay and put on board Edward R. and William J. Carroll, brothers of "Genial Johnny."

As Edward draws only a miserable stipend of \$12,000 a year as clerk of the Court of General Sessions he could not afford to hire a tug.

Accompanying Mr. Carroll were his son, John P., Jr., and Frank Croker. They were met at the pier by Mayor Van Wyck, who escorted Mrs. Carroll and her daughter Minnie, Deputy Police Commissioner Devery, Health Commissioner Sexton, young Mr. Slattery, of the firm of Morgan & Slattery; Building Commissioner Wallace, Deputy County Clerk Fairbach, East River Bridge Commissioner James W. Boyle, Counsellor Steinhart, of the Board of Health, and others of the small fry.

The "genial" man said that he could not say whether Mr. Croker would come home this fall or not.

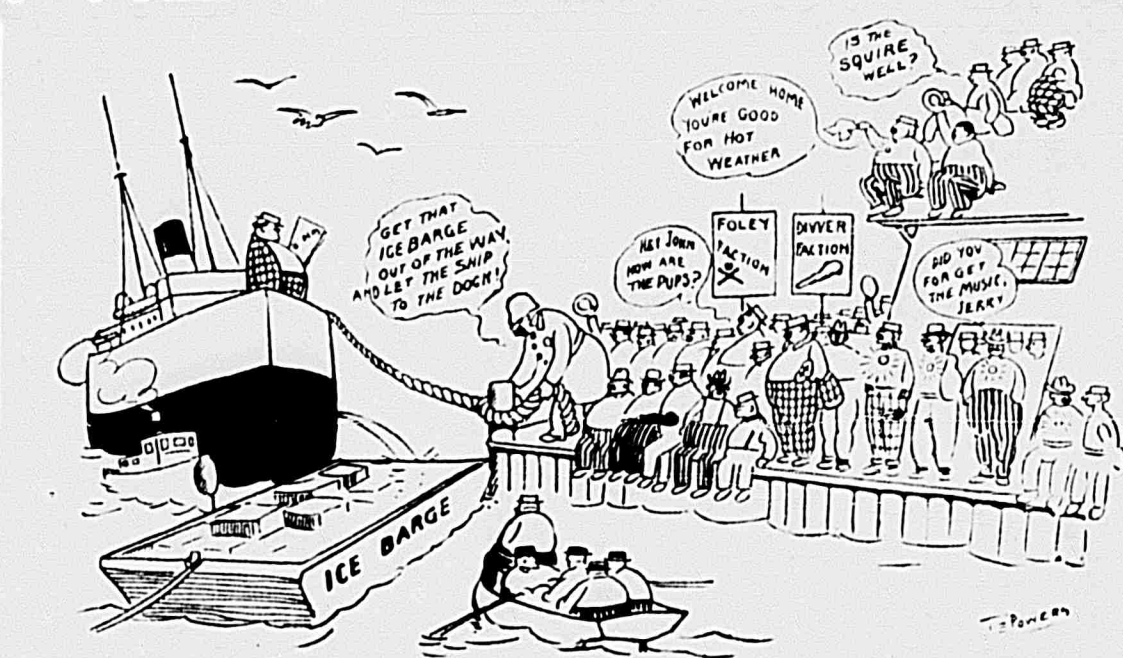
"He is looking after things over there," he said, "and knows everything that's going on. He is well satisfied and will not come over unless he thinks it necessary. Tammany Hall was never stronger than it is today."

Frank Croker said that his father was in excellent health and spirits. He would not say whether or not Richard would come to town for the fall elections.

When he got through with the baggage inspectors the "genial" man, with his family, went to Far Rockaway. He promised before he left that he would give vent to words to-morrow that might have some political significance.

The Eloquent Carroll.

So eloquent is Mr. Carroll and so courteous on all occasions that it was naturally supposed that he would tell all about Mr. Croker's plans for the Tammany campaign. He had been with Mr. Croker to the races and other places and to Wantage; he was called to England by Mr. Croker, and it was natural to suppose that Mr. Croker had introduced



The braves meet Carroll at the pier.

him to King Edward and consulted with the King about the proper person to nominate for Mayor of New York.

With this supposition impressing them, the Tammany men and scribes made a rush for Mr. Carroll. His face lighted up with a glad smile of recognition.

"Mr. Carroll," he was asked, "how is Mr. Croker?"

The roof of the smile slipped off, but Mr. Carroll said no word.

"And the bulldogs—the dear old bulldogs—how are they, Mr. Carroll?"

All the smile went but the basement—it was only a two-story smile.

"Who is to be our next candidate on the Tammany ticket?" persisted the questioner.

Mr. Carroll turned and looked pensively out over the water. He appeared to be thinking, or trying to think. After a long time he spoke. His hearers hung on his words.

"Well, I'll be damned," said Mr. Carroll, his voice vibrating with emotion, "there ain't none same gulls."

Having delivered himself of the oration quoted, Mr. Carroll directed his gaze to the water. He gave a start and stepped back. It was an ice barge.

A War-Begone Mayor.

The most war-begone figure on the pier before and after the arrival of the ship was Mayor Van Wyck. The little man was all dressed up, but he was ill at ease.

There was an expression on his face that gave rise to the belief that he had a chunk of ice in his pocket. He bobbed back and forth like a mosquito, sometimes guarding the Carroll baggage, sometimes peering nervously at the river. He did not look at all like a man starting on a vacation.

When "Genial Johnny" approached him he side-stepped. One might have thought that John had a sandbag up his sleeve, and that his little honor knew it.



John is met by the warring factions.

NEW LAURELS FOR THE DEUTSCHLAND.

Made greatest daily run, 601 knots, from noon July 29 to noon July 30.
Placed the western average for hourly speed at 23.07 knots. This average was kept up over a run of 3,141 miles.
Made the total distance in 5 days, 16 hours and 12 minutes.
Daily runs—406, 576, 556, 601, 570 and 432 knots.

MINISTER OF WAR PULIDO RESIGNS

Revolt Against Castro Spreads All Over Venezuela.

PORT OF SPAIN, Island of Trinidad, Aug. 1.—The Venezuelan Minister of War, Señor Pulido, who is the leader of an important political party, has resigned after a violent scene in the Cabinet, during which the Minister refused to accept the orders of President Castro to recognize the revolutionists in Colombia as belligerents and to deliver a passport to Señor Roca, the Colombian Minister.

Señor Pulido denies that the invasion of Venezuela territory are Communist, as President Castro claims, but insists that they are revolutionists.

The resignation of the War Minister has caused a profound impression here. The situation is more critical. The Government troops have been defeated in their first encounter with the rebels near San Cristóbal. Other uprisings are taking place in the interior of the country.

Señor Guerra succeeds Señor Pulido as Minister of War.

SAVED FROM DROWNING.

Man Just Released from Hospital and Narrow Escape.

Charles E. Dean, of No. 111 Cherry street, fell off the dock at the foot of Fulton street today and was rescued by Capt. Joseph Debnick, of No. 111-12 Water street, and Eugene Winters.

Debnick, who had just been released from a hospital, was very weak and had gone down to the pier to rest himself. He fell over and was all but drowned when rescued.

HIGHEST BALLOON ASCENT.

Dr. Herson Reached an Altitude of 31,500 Feet.

BEIRUT, Aug. 1.—Dr. Scoring Herson, a member of the Meteorological Institute, has just completed a balloon ascent, during which he reached a height of 31,500 feet.

The lowest recorded temperature was 9 degrees below zero, Fahrenheit.

CAMBON LAUDS M'KINLEY.

Success of McKinley Says He is an Accomplished Gentleman.

PARIS, Aug. 1.—The French Ambassador to the United States, M. Jules Cambon, who is now in this city, in an interview published today, pays a warm tribute to President McKinley.

He describes him as a superior man, a clever diplomatist and an accomplished gentleman.

WHY WORLD ADVERTISING GROWS—A proved supremacy by tens of thousands in New York City daily circulation tells the tale.

LAWRENCE GOODKIN DYING.

Former Editor of the Evening Post Victim of Bright's Disease.

Word was brought over on the Deutschland to-day that E. Lawrence Goodkin, formerly editor of the Evening Post and famous for his philippics against Tammany Hall, is dying of Bright's disease in a little London suburb.

Mr. Goodkin has done little active editorial work for nearly three years, when he left New York and went to live in Connecticut.

After his retirement he wrote reminiscences of his newspaper career for the newspaper with which he was formerly connected, contributed to the Nation, of which he was part owner, and wrote a few magazine articles.

His health failed him some months ago and he went abroad for recuperation.

NEW GUNBOATS FOR RUSSIA.

Successful Trial of Four Built by Lewis Nixon.

(Special to The Evening World.)

ELIZABETH, N. J., Aug. 1.—The four small gunboats built at Lewis Nixon's shipyard for the Russian Government, were given a trial trip in the Kills yesterday, the runs made being from three to five miles.

The gunboats will start for Baltimore next Monday. They are 60 feet long by 15 beam, and are intended for use in small streams and rivers where the water is only about five feet deep. Their armament will consist of one torpedo tube and one rapid fire gun.

In their trial trip they attained a speed of 15 knots an hour. The vessels are built of steel and have triple compound engines. They came up yesterday to the requirements in every way.

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Brill Brothers Outfitters to Men and Boys. Our Midsummer Sale of Suits, Hats & Furnishings

continues with unabated vigor. Don't wait for our advertising to tell you of the advent of fresh bargains—each day greatly increases the list of goods reduced. The strongest invitation in which we can urge you to come is this: We have reduced them below their selling prices everywhere—as the test of comparison will prove. And there's a good economy lesson for all in that fact.

Men's \$10.00 Blue Serge Suits.

Of fast, color serge; taped seams; trousers with or without belt straps; well cut—well made; worth \$10.00; now.....

7.50

Men's \$10.00 Flannel Suits.

All our handsome variety of high grade 2-piece flannel suits in all this season's shades and styles, reduced from \$10.00 to.....

8.50

Men's \$12.00 Flannel Suits.

All our line of \$12.00 flannel 2-piece suits are now reduced. They were originally a full \$15.00 regular value; now.....

10.00

Sale of Odd Trousers.

We have gathered together all the trousers which have been left over from suits where customers bought coats and vests only and put a special low price on them. Many belong to \$15; \$18 and \$20 suits—all go on sale at.....

2.00

Men's \$15.00 Flannel Suits.

Entire lot, consisting of the season's most exclusive designs and custom finished suits, which were exceptional value at their first price, \$15.00; now reduced to.....

12.50

Men's \$7.00 Crash Linen Suits.

These are scarce everywhere—some stores are unable to get any. These are black and white check linen crash coat and trouser suits, formerly \$7.00; now.....

3.50

Long Crash Trousers.

These also are scarce elsewhere, but plentiful here. All sizes, in good qualities,.....

1.25 and 1.75

Sale of Odd Coats and Vests.

Here's a fine plum for you: We have taken all the coats and vests of suits where the trousers are missing and marked them way down. Among them are worsteds, chevrons, blues and blacks—all kinds. They belong to \$18.00, \$20.00 and \$25.00 suits. Take your pick at.....

4.00

\$1.50 Bicycle, Wool, Duck and Crash Erzeches, now 50c.

Straw Hats at Sale Prices.

Big as your demand is for our Straw Hats at the reduced price, our supply is equal to it. There are still thousands of Hats here at this unparalleled price. Come early in order to pick the best—every Straw Hat in the store reduced.

All Straw Hats, were \$1.50 to \$3.50.

All, without exception, go into this lot. You'll find them marked at their first prices—\$1.50 \$2. \$2.50, \$3, \$3.50. Pick what you will. All good styles, every straw and shape of season, now....

95c

All Children's Hats, were 48c. to 98c.

Stock includes Boys' Straw Hats, Boys' Yacht Caps, Children's Beach Hats, Pique and Linen Tam of Shanties, in endless varieties. Wire pants will buy two or three at the reduced price.

25c

All 89c., \$1.00 and \$1.25 Straw Hats Reduced to 39c.

Fine Furnishings at Sale Prices.

Who would worry through the summer with a scant supply when good furnishings can be bought at such low figures? Even the extravagant man gladly saves when he can get the very things he wants at such big reductions:

Men's 50c. Negligee Shirts.

Made of good fabrics, in all fashionable patterns and colors, never before 50c; now reduced to.....

Men's 50c. Underwear.

Ballbrigan in all colors; long or short sleeves; long or short drawers; all colors; were 50c; now.....

Men's 25c. Half Hose.

In Black Brown and Fancy. Fine quality—very handsome; were 25c; now.....

10c

Men's \$1.00 Negligee Shirts.

White and fancy, Madras or Pe cales, with or without cuffs, plain or plaid bosoms; were \$1.00; reduced to.....

Men's Underwear.

Mercerized Undergarments, long or short sleeves; long or short drawers; all colors; were \$1.00 and \$1.50; now.....

Men's 50c. Leather Belts.

In gray, tan and suede; strong, well-finished leather; a regular 50c quality; special at.....

25c

Brill Brothers OUTFITTERS TO MEN AND BOYS.

Four Convenient Stores

279 Broadway, near Chambers St.
47 Cortlandt St., bet. Church and Greenwich Sts.
211 and 219 Sixth Ave., bet. 14th and 15th Sts.
125 h St., corner 3d Ave.

MAIL ORDERS FILLED.

BISSERT CASE WITH THE JURY

Foreman Taken Ill but Recovers—Osborne's Arraignment.

The case of Warden Bissert, accused of extortion, went to the jury shortly before 10 o'clock this afternoon. Prior to Recorder Goff's charge, the foreman of the jury was seized with an acute attack of indigestion, but soon recovered and was able to retire with the other jurors to deliberate.

Mr. Levy this morning requested permission to recall Ferdinand Keller, who testified yesterday that Mrs. Schmidt, the day after she was shot, had given Bissert the money, paid him \$2,000 in cash for a house.

This morning Mr. Keller admitted he had made a mistake and swore it was Minnie Kurze and not Mrs. Schmidt who purchased the house.

Charles N. Gunk, who sold the house, No. 27 Stuyvesant street, to Minnie Kurze, was called. Mr. Keller's correction of his testimony, however, made Mr. Gunk's evidence of no value and he was quickly excused.

This closed the case, and Mr. Levy then began his summing up for the defense.

Mr. Levy devoted some time in lauding the police force and denouncing Assistant District Attorney Osborne. Then he told what an honest man Bissert was and how a district attorney's house was the witness against "this capable police officer who enjoys the confidence of his superior and the general public."

Assistant District Attorney Osborne, in his address to the jury, was fierce in his denunciation of the police force and dramatically warned the jurors that if they brought in a verdict of not guilty the District Attorney's office might as well shut up shop.

MAJOR ALMY DEAD.

Adjutant-General of Porto Rico Victim of Appendicitis.

SAN JUAN DE PORTO RICO, Aug. 1.—Major William E. Almy, the Adjutant-General, died at 3:15 this morning in the military hospital of appendicitis.

Major Almy had been sick in the hospital for five days. His body will be taken to the United States on Monday.

His wife and three daughters sailed for the United States six weeks ago. He was born in and appointed from the District of Columbia and was graduated from the Military Academy in 1878. Last March he was promoted to be a Major and assigned to the Porto Rican regiment.

Major Almy was a son of the late General Almy.

HIS HEROISM WINS RELEASE.

Pardon for Joe Collis, a Brave House of Refuge Lad.

With cheers and good wishes, with the walls of the House of Refuge behind him and a good job ahead, Joe Collis will leave Randall's Island to-morrow night, freed because of as brave an act as was ever credited to a boy of his years.

When the midnight explosion occurred on board the prison barge at the foot of East One Hundred and Twentieth street on Tuesday, Theodore, Dunham, the engineer, his clothing soaked with the fluid and on fire, threw himself into the water. There he struggled with water and fire.

Next he swam to the barge, the fire that was burning on the barge, and then he swam to the shore, where he was rescued.

Collis did not pause an instant. Without waiting to divest himself of his clothing he plunged into the water and a few strokes brought him to Dunham's side. The man's clothes were still burning, and the lad, holding him with one hand, beat the flames up with his other, heedless of the scorching he received. Then he swam with him to the pier, where both were dragged up.

Collis gave no time in recovering the heroic act of the lad to the wardens, and he is in communication with the city Magistrates. The fact alone will meet to-morrow evening, and one of the first things it will do will be to grant Joe Collis a release. He was told this today, and his face seemed to be lit up by the glad news.

Then came word from Warden Sage that the lad would take a good job on his yacht and give him a good job. This was filling the boy's cup of joy to the brim and he shouted in his sleep.

CAULKER A SUICIDE.

Hill's Fellow Workmen Found Him Dead in Newark This Morning.

William Hall, a caulker, of Southlight, N. J., hanged himself this morning in a new ice-house in Newark, where he had been at work. His body was found by his fellow-workmen, who refused to begin their labors until it was removed.

COST OF BOER WAR.

For the Month of July It Was \$62,250,000 a Week.

LONDON, Aug. 1.—In the House of Commons to-day Lord Stanley, the Financial Secretary of the War Office, replying to a question, said the cost of the war in 1900, Africa from April 1 to July 8 was £26,700,000, partly charged against the deficit of last year.

The actual cost in July was £1,250,000 weekly. The statement was greeted with ironical Irish cheers.

Epidemic of Midsummer Colds. The disagreeable "cold in the head" is prevalent in Greater New York, caused by the general letting-down of the system because of the heat.